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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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*Filing Date Granted*Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 385 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.*
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

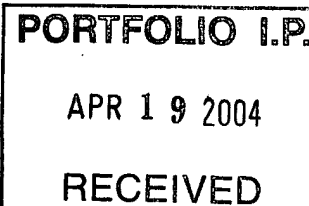
The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
  - The drawings submitted to the Office are not electronically reproducible. Drawing sheets must be submitted on paper, which is flexible, strong, white, smooth, non-shiny, and durable (see 37 CFR 1.84(e)). See Figure(s) 1-6 are too dark.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$450** for a Small Entity

- **\$385** Statutory basic filing fee.
- **\$65** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.



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PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Michael Tjader  
Serial No.: 10/756,811  
Filed: January 13, 2004  
Title: MODULAR PIPE BREAKING ASSEMBLY AND METHOD

Examiner: Unknown  
Group Art Unit: 3672  
Docket: 1523.056US1

**COMMUNICATION RE: CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS**

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In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts" which indicated "Corrected Papers" additionally required, enclosed are formal drawings for the above-mentioned application.

Applicant assumes the application is now in proper order and in condition for examination. Please direct any inquiries to the undersigned attorney at (612) 373-6944.

If necessary, please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account 19-0743.

Respectfully submitted,  
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- ☒ A check in the amount of \$65.00 to cover the small entity surcharge.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$385.00 to cover the Basic Filing Fee and Additional Claims Fee.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$55.00 to cover the Extension of Time Fee.
- ☒ Petition for Extension of Time (1 pg.).
- ☒ Communication Re: Missing Parts (1 pg.).
- ☒ A signed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 pgs.).
- ☒ Notice to File Missing Parts (2 pgs.).
- ☒ Communication Re: Corrected Application Papers (1 pg.).
- ☒ Formal Drawings (5 pgs).

**Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.27.**

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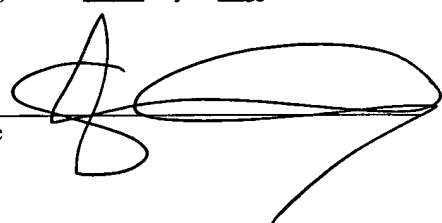
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